Helping Hands Brings Happiness to Those in Need

By Elanie Chrup
Archievy Staff Writer

A year ago, the Helping Hands organization implemented the program. All three Helping Hands organizations are active at this time. In reference to starting up the Helping Hands program at a college level, the group is formed in September and holds meetings each week to plan this day. Hands can be purchased by any of the committee members and there is a table set up in the rotunda.

Anyone looking to get involved can do so through various organizations on campus. Also, since there are so many children, volunteers are always welcome to come and spend some time with the kids.

By buying just one hand and supporting this cause, it makes tremendous difference in the lives of these children. Parkinson states, "Helping Hands is very special to me. I love working with the kids. It brings me such satisfaction. It is hard for me to see children in poverty because they are born into it. They did not have a choice. That is why I like working with the kids."

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Delay or Deception Risks War, Bush Warns Iraq

By Diego Ibarra

President Bush postponed Monday to a looming Saturday showdown for Iraq in detail his illicit weapons program, referring tactics to delay United Nations inspections would signal that Saddam Hussein is preparing to go to war.

Any act of delay, deception or defiance will prove that Saddam Hussein has not adopted all steps of a plan and has rejected the path of peace," Bush said at a Pentagon ceremony. United Nations inspectors "are not leashed by the inspection mandate," he said.

Iraq is currently gathering data on its chemical, biological and nuclear programs. By Feb. 5, United Nations inspectors paid a sixth visit to the heavily garded Karuma missile development plant in Baghdad, a subsequent U.N. report said that some equipment that had been tagged by previous inspections was missing from the site.

According to the report, Iraqi officials said some of the missing items had been transported to other sites and that four were destroyed by U.S. air attacks.

"President Bush"

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Hurdles for Foreign Students Take Toll on Colleges’ Scientific Work

By Linda K. Wertheimer

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Military Recruiters Get a Hand From New Law

By Ron Hettschke

Military recruiters looking for a new way to attract high school students will have an easier time finding them, thanks to a new federal law that requires schools to turn over student names, addresses and phone numbers.

Congress ordered the school-to-recruit cooperation as part of the No Child Left Behind Act. Education, the legislation that passed through the Senate last year, which went through the House of Representatives and forces high school administrators to let military recruiters onto their campuses.

The term "military," applies to any school, including private schools, that gets federal money under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. The law exempted private schools, religious schools, and schools that are for religious reasons to military service, as those run by Quakers.

The requirements are welcome news at the Pentagon, but some school administrators aren’t at all happy about them. Schools that refuse to comply risk losing federal education money.

Parents can block the release of their children’s names, home addresses, and phone numbers by instructing school officials to withhold them.

Civilians say the law is an invasion of students’ privacy, and a threat to the principle of local control over schools. They also question the agencies for the changes, since all of the approval servives met their recruitment goals last year.

School administrators were put on notice about the recruiting term in October, when the Pentagon, Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld, who is supervising the Department of Defense, and Secretary Rod Paige, who urged schools to "work closely with military recruiters" and "resist any attempts to limit the access of service members."

Before the law went into effect, as many as 2,000 high schools barred military recruiters, and about 2,000 high schools nationwide, according to the Department of Defense estimates. Most schools are extremely reluctant to release their names and phone numbers about their students, especially since other federal laws severely limit the release of such data.

"We’re very close about student public policy, and with good reason," the parents’ attorney, Robert Butler, director of public policy at the American Association of School Administrators.

The Department of Defense, which oversees the easier access to high school students will significantly reduce recruitment, which was due to drop by 50 percent by 2008 and potentially by more than $2 billion in the next decade.

Many schools already were cooperating with military recruiters.

We’ve been handling over information, setting up ways, for at least eight years," said Paul Jackson, a spokesman for
Foundations For Learning

By Eb Mills-Robertson

Archives News Editor

What is FFL? The idea to develop a freshmen support program has been under construction for the past six years and just manifested itself this fall semester on the Bryant campus as Foundations for Learning.

It has gone through several forms over the past few years and is different from the Freshman Success Program of previous years.

Students are taught study strategies like taking notes and study skills. The concept is to make students incorporate these into their learning behaviors.

Why the FFL program? According to Dr. Laurie Hazard, Director of Academic Center for Excellence (ACE) as well as the co-author of the textbook "Foundations for Learning," used for the course, there is a disconnect between high school study and college study.

As such, there is need to bridge the gap in order for freshmen to succeed academically at the college level. Thus, first-year students are expected to become self-directed, independent learners.

"There is a disconnect between high school studying and college studying," said Dr. Laurie Hazard.

Currently, the system is a pass/fail course but is being considered by the curriculum committee as a credit/credit course in the immediate future. The program consists of 27 professors who go through weekly training in order to teach the course.

According to Hazard, the success of the program is going to be measured by the comparison of grades of different classes. The GPA of students who had taken FFL would be compared to classes of students who had never taken the course.

This would surely give faculty a sense of a general improvement, which could be attributed to FFL.

Many ACE tutors believe that this would be an enormous help to their work. Tutors can now concentrate on tutoring instead of teaching study skills. However, first-year students are not terribly pleased with the idea of FFL. This is because some believe it takes more than a semester to change learning behavior.

Others feel that FFL was just a repetition of studying techniques that they already had acquired. At the moment, it is totally based on academics.

However, the program has the potential to develop and incorporate offices on campus like counseling services. This is because there are a lot more than just study skills, which affect academics and a student's success in the college environment.

Dr. Laura Hazard

Relay for Life Sponsored by The American Cancer Society

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy, and service.

The Relay for Life is an overnight event, comprised of teams of 8-15 people. Teams will spend 18 hours walking around the track to raise money to fight cancer. The relay celebrates survivors, funds research, educates and inspires others to become involved.

How do I get involved?

*Volunteer for a committee to help make this event a success
*Become a team captain and form a team
*Become part of a team

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Relay For Life will be held Saturday April 12th, 2003

Festival of Lights

The 26th annual Festival of Lights was held Wednesday night December 4th. Each year the Bryant Community comes together for an evening of celebrating different religions and holiday celebrations. Held in the Rotunda, the Festival of Lights is concluded with the lighting of the Holiday Tree outside the Bryant Center.

Bryant Singers Holiday Concert

Saturday December 7, 2002

Grand Hall of the Bell Tower Center

3pm

Selections from Les Misérables,
choral classics, holiday selections
and a sing along of carols and holiday pop tunes

Admission is Free!!

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For more information contact Kelly Rankins atl303@bryant.edu

Games are held every Monday at Bryant College.

This year’s games will be held...
Editor's Comments: Time Passes Too Quickly

Looking back over the semester, it seems that time has flown by, as it is time that has in fact just past. As we begin to grapple with the fall season, we might ask: Where has the time gone?

Maybe it is the fact that I will be moving, or that I am teaching here at Bryant in January, but I feel that this semester has come and gone too quickly. I am not sure what the reason is, but I am sure that if you ask someone else, they might disagree. This may not be the case, but for myself and many others, it seems so crazy to think that three months have passed, and we are finishing the semester in just a couple of weeks.

In September, I took on the challenge of being Editor-in-Chief of The Archway having little previous experience in the position. To me, this was a rather daunting task, but I figured, why not? This could be that all important resume builder, and the opportunity put into practice some of the management techniques that I am supposedly learning in school. I am sure the semester’s worth of editor experience” under my belt, I have to say that it was, in my eyes, one of the best things that I have done here at college and admissions for the school.

Now granted, there have been things that I have been un-motivated to put together in the past, such as some papers, a few more essays to manage the work, the sale, but everything was in order and not too shabby.

I am now realizing just how important it is to spend as many minutes that will affect me as soon as possible and to work on the things that are important to me as soon as possible.

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Volleyball Finishes Season Strong
Women Reach NCAA Tournament Four Years Running

By Chris Ludwikowski
Archway Sports Editor

Volleyball had another amazing season this year, as they once again earned their way to the NCAA Division II tournament for the fourth straight year.

Three experienced seniors and five juniors led the Bulldogs. One returning sophomore and three talented freshmen complete their roster.

Coach Garlay had high expectations for her girls coming into the season. With the majority of players being upperclassmen, most of the team had been in the position before and were ready to take it up a notch; so they did.

The Bulldogs had a great run in the NCAA tournament, making it all the way to the fourth round. Coach Garlay even finished second overall for the program.

Bryant could have possibly gone even further in the tournament, but her team did not get past several injuries. Despite their difficulties, Garlay feels that "the girls really banded back and came through." Michelle Muniz from Puerto Rico, Lindsay Kilk from Michigan, and Jennifer Larson from Chicago are the three young freshmen that this year's team. They defiantly contributed their share of talent.

Two of the freshmen played in the outside hitter position, which is fundamental to the team's strategy. Sophomore Carla Portillo was a key contributor on defense.

Bryant had several individuals recognized for their performance this past season. Junior setter Britta Beckman was named setter of the year for the conference. All-Region First Team and All-Region First Team, freshwoman Michelle Muniz was conference freshman of the year, All-Region First Team, region freshmen of the year and All-Region as well.

In the last three seasons were the glue of our team," stated Garlay. Coach Garlay had the ability to say about her graduating seniors, "Perriack Alkun, Northeast 10 Player of the Year, All-Conference First Team and All-Region selection that has been a dominating personality on our team along with Sarah Smith. Second Team All-Conference and Kelly Beach, Academic All-American. The three of them have made such a difference to our team and the Bryant community. All are strong academically as well. I couldn't be prouder of them." Bryant finished with a record of 41-9. Their season ended Thanksgiving weekend, when the Bulldogs fell to the New Haven Chargers in the second round of the tournament. Refocusing on the season, Garlay realized that the girls "never really focus on individual accomplishments this year, just on the team's success. The result was that many personal goals were reached by a group effort.

Field Hockey
Putts Bryant
On the All-America Team

The National Field Hockey Coaches Association has announced that junior Elizabeth Gunn has been named to the third team.

Volleyball
Bryant occupied two of the six spots on the NCAA Northern All Tournament Teams.

Sarah Smith
Michelle Muniz

Campus club scene

Karate

The Karate club has had a great first semester this year.

The first demo presented was a self-defense demonstration to the girls plugging Greek Life. The club showed them basic self-defense that they could use if they ever get into trouble.

The school has held our tradition demo in the Rotunda during Parents and Family weekends. At these times when the club showed friends and family all the things that they have learned through out there years of training. We displayed many different skills from blocking, forms, self-defense and breaking boards.

The club has also competed in six tournaments all over New Jersey and Pennsylvania and has done very well, walking away with victories in almost all divisions and totaling almost thirty batches so far.

The most important tournament attended was the Kraze Nationals in Secaucus, May 1999. At this event Bryant Karate Robottom took 2nd place in 18-26 Men's Kumite.

More importantly, Ms. Arazo took first place in 18-28 Men's Kumite Fighting and became the Kraze National Champion in his division. The results for all of our tournaments can be found on our website, www.bryantkarate.com.

We encourage anyone interested in the club to check out our website and get in contact with us. We will once again be accepting new students upon returning from winter break to look out for our flyers and join one of the most enjoyable and competitive teams on Bryant campus.

By Michael Loy '04

Bowling

The men's and women's bowling team are very competitive and are very busy during the school year.

Our season runs from October to March. We compete in several tournaments and also within our conference. You can view our schedule, as well as a lot of other information about the team at http://www.bryant.edu/~bowling.

This year the bowling teams split into two teams, the men's and women's team. Prior to this, they were not a part of women's sports in the school, so there was only one team.

Last year Karissa Walsh (91) started forming a women's team. Last year the men's team finished in the top-6 in the nation and was invited to the national tournament. This year we have competed in several tournaments this year, one in Allentown, PA and the other in Newburgh, NY. In Newburgh we finished 8th out of 12 teams.

We travel anywhere from Vermont to New Jersey to Pennsylvania, and up until this year Atlanta, Georgia. College bowling is a very competitive sport. For more information, check out http://www.collegebowling.com.

By Mike Kahlit '93

Men's Rugby

The Men's Rugby Team has just finished one of its best seasons. The team started off with eighteen veterans, and were faced by eleven rookies this fall.

The rugby team started the season playing against the University of Hartford, Springfield, and WPI. Bryant held its fourth game to Western Connecticut that was ranked 10th in the conference. They then went on to Rhode Island College and beat Western Connecticut to push them into the New England Championship. They beat Western Connecticut in the semi-finals and placed 2nd in New England after losing by a mere three points in the Finals to Stonehill College.

Bryant has been advanced to the Northeast Championship Tournament in Troy, New York, fighting their way to 3rd place in the Northeast championship. Because of this past fall they have moved up to Division I status. The Bryant Rugby Team holds their games on the field adjacent to the tennis courts. This season they will host the Bryant Rugby Tournament, and hold several games there! Come down and show your support.

Matthew Slack '05

Bryant Raqueball

Tournament: December 7 & 8 Sturbridge, MA

By Mike Kahn '93

The BULLDOG’S BEST

The Archways athletes of the season

By Chris Ludwikowski
Additional Information Submitted by: Chuck Sullivan and Mike Cain

Deneva Fogarty

Name: Deneva Fogarty
Class: Sophomore
Age: 20
Hometown: Middletown, CT
High School: Middletown H.S.
Bryant Team: Basketball
Position: Shooting Point Guard

Factsheet: Dede biggest accomplishment in sport: A year in college. Memorable sports moment: Senior year in high school when I scored my 1,000th point. Best thing I have learned this year: Well, besides basketball and school (Dede is all about sleeping and eating). Superstition: I have these watches and I always have to put on the left one first, and then the right. Then I do the same with my shoes, left and then right.

Dede Fogarty (Sophomore, 5’3 Guard, Middletown, Conn.) - Dede scored a team-high 16 points, including a three-pointer, in the Bulldogs 65-64 loss at Le Moyne this past Saturday, Dec. 1. In addition she had three assists and a pair of blocks and steals. The loss dropped Bryant to 2-2 on the season, this after winning their first two contests in the Dominican Tournament Nov. 23 and 24 in Orangeburg, N.Y. over Queens College and Dominican College.

Dede Fogarty leads the team with 12.5 points a game and 4 assists per game.

Name: Stephen Parillo
Class: Sophomore
Hometown: Amston, CT
High School: Ansonia H.S.
Bryant Team: Bowling

Nickname: Lefty
Biggest accomplishment in sport: A few years ago when he first hit his coach for the first time! Most memorable sports moment: Bowling a 299 pin this past summer (which is also the highest score his father has ever bowled).

Interesting fact about yourself: That might surprise people in this sport, since he likes to play basketball and weight lift. Superstition: "I always wear this particular watch that my sister gave me."

Steve Parillo (Amston, CT) - During Bryant College Bowling team's last tournament in Newburgh, NY, hosted by Marist College, he averaged 215 and led the team to its strongest finish in several years. He is also nationally ranked as 7th in the nation for all rooks with a 207 average. According to the most current information provided by College Bowling.com, Steve has bowled a 300 in a tournament this past season. He has totaled 3,742 pins and has an average of 207.89.

Do you know someone who deserves to be the next "Bulldog’s Best?" Nominate someone who has done something exceptional in their sport, and we will feature them here in the Archway. If your athlete is chosen, you will receive a Coca-Cola Prize Pack courtesy of Bryant College Athletics.

This issue: Stephen Parillo
Nominated by Justin Baule

Nominations can be sent to:
archway@bryant.edu or bulldog@bryant.edu
online

Cartoon by: Mark Parisi

Variety

Your Guide to Local Music

Area Concerts, Dec. 6th - Jan. 31st 2003

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A Season Guide to Entertainment in Rhode Island

A Christmas Carol

Trinity Repertory will be holding its 28th production of Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol. The show will be running Nov. 16th through Dec. 28th in the Chace Theater. This is a can't miss event – a classic story with Trinity's great personal touch.

Trans-Siberian Orchestra

The Providence Performing Arts Center will host the world-renowned Trans-Siberian Orchestra on December 30th. The event promises to put you into the holiday spirit with festive music.

Festival of Lights

The Village transforms into a winter wonderland with dazzling lights, decorated shops and festive activities. Located at the Whitinsville Village in North Kingstown, the event will run from December 1st through the 25th.

Christmas at Smith-Appleby House

On December 6th an old-fashioned Christmas will be celebrated in this historic 17th-century farmhouse. Located on Smithfield Road in Smithfield, the event provides a festive display of a Colonial Christmas.

First Night Providence 2003

Providence is going to be the place to be on New Year's Eve. The city will be filled with different types of musical, theatrical, and dance performances, Waterfire, and art exhibits. In addition, the New Year will be brought in by a grand fireworks show.

Listening to Bari Koral

By Christian Collard

Archway Staff

Upon first listen, one could compare Bari Koral to female folk artists such as Jewel, Joan Osborne, Lisa Loeb, or Ani DiFranco; however, there is a lot that sets Koral apart from the other aforementioned singer-songwriters.

Koral grew up in New York City as an "Off-Broadway theater brat" and the roots to her musical career would spring from these teenage experiences.

However, music dropped out of focus for a while and she refrained again until the end of her college career.

She dusted off her guitar which had found its way under her bed for 3 years and the second she started streaming away again, she realized that being a musical performer was what she wanted to pursue as a career.

Ever since, Koral has been doing her thing, recording two independent releases and selling over 3,000 albums.

Somewhere in the grand scheme of things, Koral would find herself driving down Route 7 to perform for us here at Bryant College, and what a treat it was.

Those in attendance were captivated by both her musical gems and her charming antics. She usually interacts with the Bari Koral Band, but for this set of gigs, she chose to hit the road alone and play some more intimate gigs.

Over the course of the evening, she talked about such things as a snipicky ex-boyfriend who was a perfectionist, who she then wrote a song about called "Perfect", as well as another relationship with a high school sweetheart, resulting in the song "When I'm Gone.

To listen to MPO's or get more information, check out www.barikoral.com

Where did you go for Thanksgiving?

Compiled by Farah Mbegi, Archway Staff

Every issue The Archway asks students a question, and displays selected answers. If you are curious about what students may think regarding a certain topic, let us know! You can email suggestions to The Archway at archway@bryant.edu, or give us a call at ext. 8020

Variety

Archway Profile: Father Joe Pescatello

By Shana Geer

Archway Staff Writer

What is your role on campus? The Catholic Chaplain, which is being a pastor of the parish.

Why did you come to Bryant? I was appointed by the Bishop of Providence. I was semi here because I have a Masters in Higher Education. I am received and welcomed by the Bryant Community.

Favorite thing about Bryant? My favorite thing about working at Bryant is the excitement of working with the students, and the energy and the energy that they have. It's exciting responding to the challenges, inquiries, and questions the students have regarding faith and religion. Seeing students respond in faith is key to me.

What inspires you? In a nut shell, making a difference and giving back, especially motivated by my faith and Jesus. What is key to me is looking through my life story and realizing that significant people have inspired me. For example, my parents, grandparents, and a good friend of mine who is a

necessary in Jamaica. He inspired me to look at my life and realize how I wanted to help people. My father and my grandmother have also greatly inspired me. My father was a person of great integrity and faith, and my grandmother practically raised me. She taught me family values, appreciation for heritage and my culture. She's also a great cook! Overall, I was very close with both of them.

What do you like to do in your free time? I like to read, professional journals, history novels, and biographies. I also work out regularly (I have been running for 30 years now). I need to take in the landscape because I found relaxation in that. In the summer, I love to go to the beach.

Do you feel that you have given everything to be in your profession? Not really. Becoming appointed is not giving up. It is making a choice. I made the choice not to have my own family. So to a master of choices, not giving up anything.

What is your most prized possession? The cross around my neck. My grandmother's friend went to Italy and brought it back to me. It symbolizes my faith. My grandmother is deceased, so it has sentimental value as well, and I have had it for over 30 years now.

Do you have any regrets? Not really. Just mistake that I have made earlier in my life. If I would have known what I know now, I would have been more cautious. I try to take positive risks.

December 6, 2002
Meet the Archway Staff...

You may have been reading The Archway all semester, wondering just who are these people writing stories, taking pictures, and putting the newspaper together. Well, since this is the final edition this semester, we thought this would be a good opportunity for us to introduce ourselves to you.

There is always room for more staff members too! If you are interested in joining The Archway, stop into the office or email us at archway@bryant.edu.

Maggie Grace
Editor-In-Chief
Hometown: Warwick, RI
Major: Management
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? Singing, tennis, writing, going to concerts.

Why did you join The Archway? I joined to get involved on campus. I was involved with my high school newspaper and wanted to continue at the college level. I had an ambition at the time to become the Editor... it just kind of happened.

Tom Fischetti
Staff Columnist
Hometown: Milford, CT
Major: Finance & Economics
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? Spending time with my beautiful and understanding girlfriend, reading, going to Taco Bell, hanging out with my abnormal and obnoxious friends.

Keith Hanks
Staff Writer
Hometown: Auburn, AL
Major: CIS/MIKT
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? Chess, Reading (Sci-Fi/Fantasy) books, typical geek.

Why did you join The Archway? To satiate traditional heterosexual relationships.

Chris Ludwickzwak
Sports Editor
Hometown: New Canaan, CT
Major: Marketing
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? Chess, Reading (Sci-Fi Fantasy) books, typical geek.

Why did you join The Archway? I wanted to be part of this great staff and I was the best kid for the job.

Eh Mills-Robertson
News Editor
Hometown: Aurora, GA
Major: Finance & Economics
Year: ’04

What are your hobbies/interests? Chess, Reading (Sci-Fi Fantasy) books, typical geek.

Why did you join The Archway? I was interested in The Archway because it seemed like a worthwhile and important project.

Shana Greer
Staff Writer
Hometown: Vernon, NY
Major: Undecided
Year: ’06

What are your hobbies/interests? Snowboarding, wakeboarding, waterskiing, and shopping.

Why did you join The Archway? I wanted to do something different. Anything I’ve ever been involved in is athletic or business related. Joining The Archway was a nice change.

Donnie Parker
Advertising Manager
Hometown: Shapleigh, ME
Major: Marketing & Communications
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? I like to do everything kind of water sport, and every kind of water sport, and I love going to the movies.

Why did you join The Archway? I am a marketing major and I wanted to see if I would be interested in advertising.

Brian Davis
Business Manager
Hometown: Allendale, NJ
Major: Finance & Management
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? Skiing and other snow related activities.

Why did you join The Archway? I am a marketing major and I wanted to see if I would be interested in advertising.

Eilene Chrzaz
Staff Writer
Hometown: Ludlow, MA
Major: Finance
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? Any outdoor activity (snow, skiing, rollerblading), listening to music, dancing, photography, scrapbooking, and hanging out with friends.

Why did you join The Archway? I wanted to inform the Bryant community about various events on campus, and it is important to them.

Rich Hurley
Distribution Manager
Hometown: Chicopee, MA
Major: Management
Year: ’04

What are your hobbies/interests? Skiing and other snow related activities.

Why did you join The Archway? I am a marketing major and I wanted to see if I would be interested in advertising.

Bryan Little
Staff Photographer
Hometown: Goshen, ME
Major: Marketing
Year: ’06

What are your hobbies/interests? Mountain biking, listening to music, reading, going to concerts, climbing, photography, and soccer.

Why did you join The Archway? Besides beingnickered into this position this past summer, I joined because I want to make a difference and help the world...one newspaper at a time. I love fiddles. I drink a lot. What was the question again?

Tim Watt
Staff Writer
Hometown: Manchester, CT
Major: Marketing
Year: ’03

What are your hobbies/interests? I love to exercise! Aside I like music, dance and meeting diverse people with similar interests.

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Farai Mbizi
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Hometown: Boca Raton, FL
Major(s): Marketing & Communications
Class: ’03

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How to Get a Good Night’s Sleep

By Betty Cotter
Director of Health Services

Why You Need Sleep

- Dream sleep restores the person psychologically.
- Sleep helps the body.
- Dream sleep is necessary for learning.
- During dream sleep the pituitary gland releases growth hormone, production and balancing hormone needed for endocrine function.
- Sleep helps the body respond to stress, and body requires more deep sleep and less dream sleep.
- Sleep deprivation affects the immune system’s natural killer cells and white blood cells.

How to Get Good Night’s Sleep

- Avoid medications that make you snooze (e.g., Snore). Avoid caffeine and spicy foods later in the day.
- Go to bed at approximately the same time each night and get up at approximately the same time each morning.
- Relax before going to bed.
- Don’t go to bed hungry or overly full.
- Tuna and milk are helpful in inducing sleep.
- Keep the room cool, dark and quiet.
- Alcohol and tobacco disturb sleeping patterns.
- Exercise earlier in the day and not right before bedtime.
- Seek professional help if you continue to have difficulty sleeping.

Senate and Sadexho present:

The Midnight Breakfast

Dec. 12
10 - 12:30 AM
Salmanson

Faculty & Staff: Please come join in the fun with the Student Senate in serving the Bryant students. If you would like to help, please RSVP to gclub@bryant.edu

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The Archway staff wishes everyone a safe and happy holiday season!